

Clerk, in the engrossment of H.R. 2055, to make technical and conforming changes in the event a portion of the bill is not retained. Testimony was heard from Rep. Culberson; and Rep. Bishop of Georgia.

HARMFUL ALGAL BLOOMS

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology: Subcommittee on Energy and Environment held a hearing on Harmful Algal Blooms: Action Plans for Scientific Solutions. Testimony was heard from Robert Magnien, Director, Center for Sponsored Coastal Ocean Research, NOAA; Richard Greene, Chief, Ecosystems Dynamics and Effects Branch, Gulf Ecology Division, EPA; and public witnesses.

ACCESS TO CAPITAL

Committee on Small Business: Full Committee held a hearing entitled "Access to Capital: Can Small Businesses Access the Credit Necessary To Grow and Create Jobs?" Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

PUTTING AMERICA'S VETERANS BACK TO WORK

Committee on Veterans' Affairs: Full Committee held a hearing on Putting America's Veterans Back to Work. Testimony was heard from Major General James E. Tyre, USA, Assistant Adjutant General, Florida Army National Guard; Ruth A. Fanning, Director, Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment Service, Veterans Benefits Administration, Department of Veterans Affairs; Raymond M. Jefferson, Assistant Secretary, Veterans' Employment and Training Service, Department of Labor; and public witnesses.

COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR THURSDAY, JUNE 2, 2011

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

Committee on Agriculture, Subcommittee on Department Operations, Oversight, and Credit-Public, hearing to review recent investigations and audits of the USDA Inspector General, 10 a.m., 1300 Longworth.

Committee on Appropriations, Subcommittee on Legislative Branch, hearing on U.S. Capitol Police FY 2012 Budget Request, 9 a.m., HT-2 Capitol.

Subcommittee on Energy and Water Development, markup of Energy and Water Appropriations Act, FY 2012. 10 a.m., 2362-B Rayburn.

Committee on the Budget, Full Committee, hearing on Fannie Mae, Freddie Mac and FHA: Taxpayer Exposure in the Housing Markets, 10:30 a.m., 210 Cannon.

Committee on Education and the Workforce, Subcommittee on Health, Employment, Labor, and Pensions, hearing entitled "Investigating Financial Mismanagement at the U.S. Department of Labor." Noon, 2175 Rayburn.

Committee on Energy and Commerce, Full Committee, continue markup of H.R. 1705, the Transparency in Regulatory Analysis of Impacts on the Nation Act of 2011; and H.R. 2021, the Jobs and Energy Permitting Act of 2011. 9 a.m., 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Commerce, Manufacturing, and Trade, hearing entitled "Sony and Epsilon: Lessons for Data Security Legislation." Hearing will begin 15 minutes after the 9 a.m., full Committee markup finishes, 2123 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health, hearing entitled "PPACA's Effects on Maintaining Health Coverage and Jobs: A Review of the Health Care Law's Regulatory Burden." Hearing will begin 15 minutes after the 9 a.m., full Committee markup finishes, 2322 Rayburn.

Committee on Financial Services, Subcommittee on International Monetary Policy and Trade, markup of legislation Securing American Jobs Through Exports Act of 2011, 10 a.m., 2128 Rayburn.

Committee on Foreign Affairs, Full Committee, hearing on Religious Freedom, Democracy, Human Rights in Asia: Status of Implementation of the Tibetan Policy Act, Block Burmese JADE Act, and North Korean Human Rights Act, 10 a.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Europe and Eurasia, hearing on European and Eurasian Energy: Developing Capabilities for Security and Prosperity, 2:30 p.m., 2172 Rayburn.

Committee on Homeland Security, Subcommittee on Border and Maritime Security, markup of the following: H.R. 1299, the Secure Border Act of 2011; H.R. 1922, to provide U.S. Customs and Border Protection with access to Federal lands to carry out certain security activities in the Southwest border region, and for other purposes; and H.R. 915, the Jaime Zapata Border Enforcement Security Task Force Act. 9 a.m., 311 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Transportation Security, hearing entitled "Authorizing the Transportation Security Administration for Fiscal Years 2012 and 2013." 4 p.m., 311 Cannon.

Committee on the Judiciary, Full Committee, markup of the following: H.J. Res. 1, Proposing a balanced budget amendment to the Constitution of the United States; H.R. 1741, the Secure Visas Act; H.R. 1932, the Keep Our Communities Safe Act of 2011; and H.R. 966, the Lawsuit Abuse Reduction Act of 2011. 10 a.m., 2141 Rayburn.

Committee on Natural Resources, Subcommittee on Water and Power, hearing on H.R. 1837, to address certain water-related concerns on the San Joaquin River, and for other purposes, 10 a.m., 1324 Longworth.

Subcommittee on Energy and Mineral Resources, hearing entitled "Domestic Oil and Natural Gas: Alaskan Resources, Access and Infrastructure." 10 a.m., 1334 Longworth.

Committee on Oversight and Government Reform, Full Committee, hearing entitled “Making the Gulf Coast Whole Again: Assessing the Recovery Efforts of BP and the Obama Administration After the Oil Spill.” 9:30 a.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Government Organization, Efficiency, and Financial Management, hearing entitled “IRS E-file and Identity Theft.” 12:30 p.m., 2247 Rayburn.

Subcommittee on Health Care, District of Columbia, Census and the National Archives, hearing entitled “FDA Medical Device Approval: Is There a Better Way?” 1:30 p.m., 2154 Rayburn.

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Research and Science Education, hearing on Social, Behavioral and Economic Science Research: Oversight of the Need for Federal Investments and Priorities for Funding, 10 a.m., 2318 Rayburn.

Committee on Small Business, Subcommittee on Healthcare and Technology, hearing entitled “Not What the Doctor Ordered: Health IT Barriers for Small Medical Practices.” 10 a.m., 2360 Rayburn.

Committee on Veterans' Affairs, Subcommittee on Economic Opportunity, hearing on Transition Assistance Program and VetSuccess on Campus Program, 11 a.m., 334 Cannon.

Subcommittee on Disability Assistance and Memorial Affairs, hearing on How to Improve Underperforming Regional Offices, 1:30 p.m., 334 Cannon.

Committee on Ways and Means, Full Committee, hearing on How Business Tax Reform Can Encourage Job Creation, 10 a.m., 1100 Longworth.

House Permanent Select Committee on Intelligence, Full Committee, hearing entitled Israel/Palestinian Authority Update, 10 a.m., HVC-304. This is a closed hearing.